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PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the action dated July 19, 2002, be extended for three months to and including January 21, 2003. January 19, 2003, being a Sunday and January 20, 2003, being a holiday.

Enclosed is a check for \$930 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing attorney docket number 07334-362001.

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